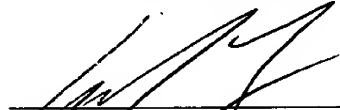


REMARKS

The amendment changes the dependency of claim 12 from claim 10 to claim 9. Claim 12, under consideration, was dependent on a withdrawn claim.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

Respectfully submitted,



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